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FOR AMBASSADOR YOUNG FROM ANNE HOLLOWAY

E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: OVIP (YOUNG, ANDREW)

SUBJECT: INVITATION FROM MOBUTU TO VISIT ZAIRE

1. YOU RECEIVED MEMO FROM DICK MOOSE DATED 8/7 CONCERNING MOBUTU'S INVITATION TO YOU THROUGH COMMISSIONER NGUZA TO VISIT ZAIRE. MOOSE REPORTS THAT BEFORE HE LEFT FOR HOLLAND, MOBUTU CALLED AMBASSADOR CUTLER TO RECONFIRM THE INVITATION IN HIS NAME.

2. IN PARTICULAR, MOBUTU SAID THAT HE WOULD BE 'DELIGHTED' TO SEE YOU IN KINSHASA BEFORE, DURING, OR AFTER THE LAGOS CONFERENCE, AND REQUESTED THAT YOU BE INFORMED OF THIS INVITATION.

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3. AS YOU CAN SEE FROM SEPTEL, WE HAVE TURNED DOWN INVITATION FOR YOU TO STOP IN GUINEA, FOLLOWING TALKS WITH STONEY. HOW DO YOU WISH TO RESPOND TO MOBUTU OFFER? PLEASE ADVISE BEST APPROACH.

4. IF YOU DECIDE NOT TO VISIT ZAIRE AT THIS TIME,

I BELIEVE YOU OUGHT TO SEND A LETTER OF REGRET TO  
PRESIDENT MOBUTU. WE CAN PREPARE A LETTER FOR YOUR  
SIGNATURE IF YOU WISH. CHRISTOPHER

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